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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

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For: GREEN FLUORESCENT PROTEINS
AND BLUE FLUORESCENT PROTEINS

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RESPONSE TRANSMITTAL FORM

- Transmitted herewith is a Response to Restriction Requirement in response to the Office Action dated June 15, 2006.
- Extension of Time: The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a) apply. Applicants petition for a one-month extension of time from July 15, 2006 to August 15, 2006, the fee for which is **\$120.00** as set out in 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a). If Applicants have inadvertently overlooked the need for an additional extension of time, please consider this a Petition therefore. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees that may be required, including fees due under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 50-0310.
- Fee Calculation (37 C.F.R. 1.16):

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	Remaining		Previously Paid	Extra	Rate	Total Fees
Total Claims	4	minus	20	0	\$50 each=	0.00
Independent Claims	4	minus	4	0	\$200 each=	0.00
First presentation of Multiple dependent claim					\$360.00	0.00
Sub-total =						0.00
Reduction by ½ for filing by a small entity						0.00
Total Fee =						\$0.00

- Fee Payment: The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge **\$120.00** to Deposit Account No. 50-0310 for payment of the fee for a one-month extension of time.

5. Constructive Petition: **Except** for issue fees payable under 37 C.F.R. 1.18, the Commissioner is hereby authorized by this paper to charge any additional fees during the entire pendency of this application including fees due under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required, including any required extension of time fees, or to credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 50-0310. This paragraph is intended to be a **constructive petition for extension of time** in accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a)(3).

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